



## PATENT APPLICATION

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(VA)	TICALLY-ALLIGNED LIQUID CRYSTAL LAY DEVICE		Date F-CLASS.WCM Appr. February 20, 1998	Registration No. 29367 Attorney for Applicant
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## RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the election/restriction requirement mailed June 15, 2001,

applicants elect Group I (Claims 149-179), without traverse. Further, applicants elect

species d (Claims 159-160 and 175-176) for examination.

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